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Attention: Box PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

Submitted herewith is a patent application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) for:

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**Title:** SYSTEM TO DETECT PROTEIN-PROTEIN INTERACTIONS

**This is not a Provisional Application.**

The application includes:

Specification (52 pages), including claims (52) and an Abstract (1 page)  
 Formal drawings (6 sheets, Figures 1-6)  
 Inventor Declaration and Power of Attorney (unexecuted)  
 Small Entity Status is claimed  
— A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ cover the filing fee is enclosed.  
— Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached by telephone in our Washington D.C. Office at 202-216-8584

Claim priority to: U.S. Application 60/198,122 filed 04-18-2000

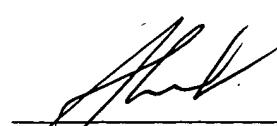
**REMARKS**

In view of the above, it is requested that this application be accorded a filing date.

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